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Applicant(s): M.A. ROTHMAN et al. Examiner Jae Un Yu Serial No. 10/823,895 Group Art Unit 2185 Filed April 13, 2004 Docket No. P19009 DEFRAGMENTING OBJECTS IN A STORAGE MEDIUM

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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## AMENDMENT ON APPEAL TO CANCEL CLAIMS UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 and 41.33

Applicants submit this amendment to cancel claims 7, 16, and 29, which Applicants previously indicated as canceled in the Amendment dated March 26, 2008, but did not indicate cancellation in the listing of claims. Under 37 CFR 1.116 and 41.33, Applicants may file an amendment to cancel claims after the filing of a Notice of Appeal and before the date the Appeal Brief is filed. See, MPEP Sec. 1206, pg. 1200-22 (8<sup>th</sup> ed., Rev. 7 July 2008). Applicants request entry of this amendment to cancel claims 7, 16, and 29.

Should any fees be required to enter this amendment, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0585.

The attorney of record invites the Examiner to contact him at (310) 553-7977 if the Examiner believes such contact would advance the prosecution of the case.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.